

ANNOUNCE SON  
 Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Burin, 3821 Spencer Ave., are announcing the birth of a son or Dec. 31 at a Long Beach hospital. The baby has been named Jeffrey Martin. He is being welcomed by a brother and sister, Edward and Mary Ann. The Burin family moved to Torrance from Toronto, Can., last August.

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## 48 Years of Living Recalled by Sisters

Nearly a half century passed before two sisters saw each other again.

When the two met, just before Christmas, they had 48 years of events, families and gossip to discuss.

Mrs. Ella Narveson of Austin, Minn. arrived in Torrance Dec. 22 to spend the winter with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Narveson, 21409 Kent Ave.

First on Mrs. Narveson's visiting list was her sister, Mrs. Mark Schooley of Redondo Beach.

Despite the years of correspondence and exchange of photographs, the two confess they wouldn't have recognized each other. In fact, Mrs. Narveson's visit was kept secret and when she appeared at the Schooley home, her sister did not know her.

Both were teen-age girls the last time they were together. Mrs. Narveson's marriage took her to another city and finally to Minnesota while Mrs. Schooley soon married and moved to California.

While the sisters didn't meet,

five of the six Narveson boys met their California aunt and uncle.

All six of Mrs. Narveson's sons served in the armed forces during World War II. Four were in the Army and two were in the Navy. Three served in the Far East campaigns while the others fought in Europe. When they were discharged five of the boys visited their aunt, Mrs. Schooley in California.

But Mrs. Narveson, until last week, had not seen her four nephews and four nieces and their 12 youngsters. One gigantic family reunion has been going on during the Christmas holidays as all of the Schooley family live near by.

Forty-eight years is a long time, but the two sisters figure they should be caught up on passing events by the time Mrs. Narveson leaves for Minnesota in the Spring.



MRS. MARK SCHOOLEY and MRS. ELLA NARVESON ... Look Through the Family Album



MISS LOIS BRYAN ... Plans Wedding

## Lois Bryan Slates March 1 Date With Richard Edwards

Wedding bells will ring March 1 for Miss Lois Bryan and Richard Leroy Edwards. The wedding will take place at the First Baptist Church in Torrance. Miss Bryan's engagement and wedding plans are being disclosed by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eben Holden, 24205 Eshelman Ave., Lomita.

The future bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Edwards, 1602 W. 227th St.

Lois was graduated from the Narbonne High School in June, 1957. She is employed at the Bank of America in Wilmington.

Her fiance will be graduated from Narbonne this month.



MISS GERRY TERBEGGEN ... Future Bride

## Gerry Terbeggen's Troth to Frank Gastelum Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Terbeggen, 2053 W. 159th St. are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Gerry, to Frank Gastelum, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. Gastelum of Barstow. No date has been set for the wedding.

The future bride was graduated from North High School in 1956. She is now attending Los Angeles Trade Tech Junior College.

The benedict-elect is a graduate of Barstow Union High School and is continuing his education at El Camino College.

## Woman's Club Begins Year With Music

El Camino Vocal Ensemble, which has appeared before many organizations in the Southland, will entertain members and guests of the Torrance Woman's Club with a thirty minute program next Wednesday afternoon at the clubhouse. R. Neal Hill is the director.

Prior to the program, a luncheon catered by the ways and means committee, will be served. Reservations must be made for this luncheon by calling Mrs. Jack Dabbs or Mrs. Bess Myers.

The committee in charge of the luncheon is composed of Meses. H. G. Stephens, Martin Jones, J. L. Clifford, and J. K. Clutter.

Mrs. Robert Moffitt, president, will conduct a short business meeting.

## DESERT TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sprout and children and Mr. and Mrs. Custer Hawley and family spent last weekend on the desert near Yucca Valley.

## Garden Club Gathers for Meeting Here

Torrance Terrace Garden Club met recently at the home of Mrs. B. R. Bain, 2466 W. 251st St. in Lomita, with 12 members present.

After refreshments the business meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Minot Rugg, with the reading of a "Thought for the Day" by Mrs. W. Stevens. Members of the Torrance Terrace Garden Club were thanked for their help in making the Torrance float a success.

Chairmen were appointed for the annual tea, and plant cuttings were distributed to members. The next meeting of the club will be the annual tea on Jan. 22 at the municipal plunge.

## IN SWEDEN FOR THE HOLIDAYS

Mrs. Grace Haggott, 23250 Robert Rd., spent the Christmas holidays in Sweden. She visited with friends in Gothenburg, Sweden, and in Copenhagen, Denmark. Mrs. Haggott made the trip on the Scandinavian Airlines.

## Sleeths Give Festive New Year's Party

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sleeth Jr., entertained at their tenth annual New Year's Eve cocktail and buffet party at their WALTERIA home.

A silver and green centerpiece on the buffet table was flanked by silver candelas.

Cocktails were served with a variety of hors d'oeuvres and a buffet supper was enjoyed.

Enjoying the Sleeths annual party were Dr. and Mrs. Eugene Cook, Messrs. and Meses. Don Robinson, Jack Brown, Maze Moton, Robert Waegner, Roy McKinney, James Kritz and E. V. Winkelbauer, all of Torrance.

Others were John Minech and E. B. Williams of Hollywood Riviera; Dr. Jack Roberts, Rolling Hills; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Woodcock, Palos Verdes, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cahn, Inglewood.

## VALENTINE BALL WILL BE TOPIC

The annual "Valentine Ball" to be staged on Feb. 8 will be the main topic of discussion when the Torrance Hospital Auxiliary meets next Tuesday at 12 noon at the Plush Horse for a luncheon. Mrs. Ralph McNiel is president.

## Fuchsia Unit Meets Jan. 17

Lomita branch of the California National Fuchsia Society will meet at 8 p.m. on Jan. 17 in the American Legion Hall at 24702 Narbonne Ave., Lomita.

Lue Hale of a manufacturing concern will speak on what can be done in a garden through the use of soil builders.

Guests and members are invited to attend the meeting. Door prizes will be awarded. There will also be a plant sale and refreshments.

## ALUMNAE CLUB MEETS TUESDAY

Regular monthly meeting of the South Bay Alumnae Club of Pi Beta Phi will be held at the home of Mrs. Anthony Daley, 509 Paseo Lunada, Palos Verdes on Tuesday, Jan. 14, at 1 p.m.

Co-hostesses for the afternoon will be Mrs. Jay Berkman, 542 Strand, Hermosa Beach, and Mrs. George Matteson, 201 Spindrift Rd., Portuguese Bend.

After dessert and the business meeting there will be bridge and canasta for entertainment.

All Pi Phis living in the South Bay area are invited to attend. Reservations should be made by Monday, Jan. 13, with the hostess or one of the co-hostesses.

## Miss Langerud To Be Married Here Jan. 18

Miss Delores Langerud, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Langerud, will become the bride of John Iles of Phoenix, Ariz., in a formal wedding on Saturday evening, Jan. 18, at the First Lutheran Church in Torrance.

Miss Langerud was graduated from Narbonne High School. She has worked for the National Life Insurance Co. for the past three and a half years.

The future bridegroom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Iles of Coolidge, Ariz., was graduated from the Coolidge High School and Arizona State College. He is now employed by the Internal Revenue Dept.

The bride-elect will be complimented at a shower Saturday evening given by her aunt, Mrs. Selmer Langerud.

## A Luncheon

Mrs. Lyle McNue who recently moved into a new home on 236th Pl. was pleasantly surprised last Monday when several of her former neighbors arrived for a pot-luck luncheon.

Gathering for the afternoon were Meses. J. Helphand, J. Nielsen, Lawrence Brown, Tom Braddock and Dave Foote.

## St. Cecelia Guild Opens New Year

Mrs. Don Wolf, new president of the St. Cecelia's Guild of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, conducted the first meeting of the year held Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Alma Smith, 1614 Amapola. Mrs. R. S. Sleeth was co-hostess. During the business meeting the guild planned the parish dinner on Jan. 16, a bake sale Feb. 8 and the first Lenten dinner scheduled for Ash Wednesday, Feb. 19.

Refreshments were served from a table centered by an arrangement of camellias flanked by tall green tapers.

Attending the meeting were Meses. Sidney Hopkins, John Muhleck, D. A. Murphy, Dean Sears, Mae Sherry, Robert Sleeth, Alma Smith, Jack Snow, Boyd Thompson, James Wilkes, Nat Williamson, William Roberts, Ed Rhone, Fred Sandstrom, Leslie Bubar, Ralph Davis and Marie Harmon, Mrs. Virginia Fields, a new member was also present.

The guild's next meeting will be held Feb. 12 at the home of Mrs. William Roberts, 21206 S. Vermont Ave.

## DINNER GUESTS

Dinner guests last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bruhn on Grand Summit Rd., were Mr. and Mrs. Burt Mennes and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Boyland.



MISS DONNA LENN ELLIOTT ... To Wed Sunday

## Donna Elliott-John M. Webb To Be Married Next Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Elliott, 1774 Santa Fe, are announcing the wedding of their daughter, Donna Lenn which will take place next Sunday, Jan. 19, at the First Baptist Church. Miss Elliott will be married to John Michael Webb, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel W. Webb, 1003 Cota Ave.

The bride-elect was graduated from the Torrance High School in June 1957.

A reception will follow the wedding. All friends and relatives are invited to attend.

## Bridge Club

Mrs. John Melville entertained her bridge club last Tuesday afternoon at her home on El Prado.

Lunch preceded the afternoon of bridge. Mrs. Melville's guests were Meses. W. C. Boswell, Eugene Cook, William Garry, Paul Loranger, Mel Millar, Dean Sears, and Delbert Thomsen, substituting for Mrs. M. A. Bauman.

## LAS VEGAS GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Carroll of Las Vegas, Nev., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hughes, 4730 Cadison, during the New Year's holiday. A busy three day excursion included visiting, sightseeing and dinner at a Santa Monica restaurant.

## AT BOREGO SPRINGS

Mr. and Mrs. John Melville left Friday for Borego Springs to spend the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Benson, former Torrance residents.



SEASON OPENS ... Localites are taking advantage of the winter season at Palm Springs, many spending weekends at resorts there. In this picture Mr. and Mrs. Stub Wilson and son, Steve Wilson Jr., of Torrance, who either fly down in their private plane or drive by car to relax at resort motels on the desert. (Lee Wenzlick Photo)



CONGENIALTY PREVAILS ... Mr. and Mrs. Tony Di Mayle (right) now of Palm Springs, formerly of the Hollywood Riviera, entertain as their weekend guests Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brown of WALTERIA. The foursome are pictured in the foyer of one of the clubs at the winter resort. (Lee Wenzlick Photo)